

## USE OF PENTAGASTRIN TO INHIBIT GASTRIC ACID SECRETION OR AS A DIURETIC

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 This invention pertains to the discovery that pentagastrin, when administered  
in conjunction with a proton pump inhibitor (PPI) is synergistic with the PPI and  
significantly increases the efficacy of the PPI in reducing/mitigating excess gastric acid  
secretion.

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